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METHOD AND APPARATUS

FOR WASHING GAS TURBINE ENGINES

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2. Applicant

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first month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
second month	\$ 420.00	\$ 210.00
third month	\$ 950.00	\$ 475.00
fourth month	\$1,480.00	\$ 740.00
fifth month	\$2,010.00	\$1,005.00
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FEE FOR CLAIMS

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 13, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.